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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

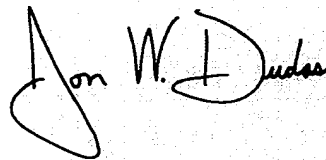
Column 4

Line 51, "pitavasitin" should read --pitavastatin--;

Line 52, "pitavastin" should read --pitavastatin--.

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A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized, with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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